

MEETING MINUTES

VEHICLE FOR HIRE BOARD

JANUARY 28, 2021

HELD VIA WEBEX

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Cathy Collins at 9:33 AM.

The roll call of Board Members showed five (5) members present, eight (8) members absent, and two (2) currently vacant. No quorum was met.

APPLICATION FOR NEW PEDICAB/QUADRICYCLE OWNER LICENSES

None

APPLICATION FOR NEW TAXICAB OWNER LICENSES

None

APPLICATION FOR VEHICLE TRANSFER OF TAXICAB OWNER LICENSES

Sixteen (16) licenses transferred

APPLICATION FOR OWNER TRANSFER OF TAXICAB OWNER LICENSES

Five (5) licenses transferred

APPLICATION FOR VEHICLE TRANSFER OF LIVERY OWNER LICENSES

Two (2) licenses transferred

APPLICATION FOR NEW LIVERY OWNER LICENSES

Seven (7) licenses issued

OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

- New VFH Board makeup per Columbus City Code 585.03
 - Vicki Miller, new Columbus Regional Airport Authority representative
 - Jen Bergman, new Alternative Vehicle Driver representative

- Amanda Ford, new Department of Public Service representative
- Lt Marc Dopp, new Columbus Division of Police representative
- Deana Leffler, new License Section counsel
- Multiple vacancies to fill
- Taxi/Livery Owner renewals/inspections occurred through October 2020
 - 284 Taxicabs inspected
 - Size of lettering
 - Credit card machines
 - 44 Liveries inspected
 - 2009 Taxicab vehicles granted one-year reprieve
- License Section office remains closed
 - VFH Driver licenses extended indefinitely, but renewals offered starting October 2020
 - 156 renewal issued
 - Pedicab/Quadricycle Owner licenses extended through June 30, 2021

The meeting was adjourned at 9:58 AM.